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		First Named Inventor BOTICH ET AL, Michael J.	
		Title	Catheter Insertion Device with Retractable Needle
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CONTINUING APPLICATION INFORMATION

This application is a **Continuation** of the following United States applications, each of which is incorporated herein by reference:

09/070,829, filed on April 30, 1998, 09/526,612, filed on March 16, 2000, PCT/US98/24103, filed on November 12, 1998 and PCT/US99/10609, filed on May 13, 1999.

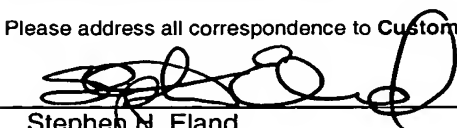
PRIORITY APPLICATIONS

This application claims priority to the following application(s), each of which is hereby incorporated herein by reference.

U.S. Provisional Applications: 60/120,888 filed February 20, 1999, 60/094,801 filed July 31, 1998 and 60/065,347 filed November 12, 1997

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